

NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION

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VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) BY A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS UNDER 37 CFR 1.9(F) AND 1.27(D)

I hereby declare that I am an official empowered to act on behalf of the nonprofit organization identified below:

Name of Organization: EUROPEAN ATOMIC ENERGY COMMUNITY

Address: _____

Type of Organization

- ☐ University or other institution of higher education.
☐ Tax exempt under Internal Revenue Service code (26 USC 501(a) and 501(c)(3)).
☐ Nonprofit scientific or educational under statute of state of the United States of America.
 Name of State: _____ Statute: _____
☐ Would qualify as tax exempt under Internal Revenue Service code (26 USC 501(a) and 501(c)(3)) if located in the United States of America.
☐ Would qualify as nonprofit scientific or educational under statute of state of the United States of America if located in the United States of America.
 Name of State: _____ Statute: _____

I hereby declare that the nonprofit organization identified above qualifies as a nonprofit organization as defined in 37 CFR 1.9(e) for purposes of paying reduced fees under section 41(a) or (b) of Title 35, United States Code with regard to the invention entitled SELECTIVE MONITORING OF TRITIUM CONTAINING SPECIES IN A GAS

by P. Pacenti, R. Edwards

described in:

- ☐ The specification filed herewith.
☐ Application serial number _____, filed _____
☐ PCT International patent application number PCT/EP98/06047, filed 22 September 1998
☐ Patent number _____, issued _____

I hereby declare that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the nonprofit organization with regard to the above identified invention.

If the rights held by the above identified nonprofit organization concern are not exclusive, each individual, concern or organization having rights to the invention is listed below and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who could not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d) or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d) or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e). *Note: Separate verified statements are required from each named person, concern or organization having rights to the invention averring to their status as small entities (37 CFR 1.27).*

Full Name: _____

Address: _____

- ☐ Individual ☐ Small Business Concern ☐ Nonprofit Organization
☐ See attached sheet for additional person(s), concern(s) or organization(s).

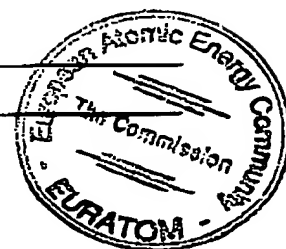
I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate (37 CFR 1.28(b)).

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine, or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which the verified statement is directed.

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DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION AND APPOINTMENT OF ATTORNEY

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that my residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name; I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention (Design, if applicable) entitled:

SELECTIVE MONITORING OF TRITIUM-CONTAINING SPECIES IN A GAS

the specification of which was filed on: 22 September 1998 as International Application (PCT) No.: PCT/EP98/06047

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment(s) referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in *Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56*. I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under *Title 35, United States Code §119* of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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